

**AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS:**

1. (Currently Amended) A synergistic composition for the treatment of liver and liver associated ailments characterized by: consisting essentially of ————— extract of Glycyrrhiza glabra and extract of Picrorhiza kurroa in a ratio of from 2-1:1-3 by weight.
2. (Currently Amended) A composition as claimed in claim 1 characterized in that wherein the ratio of the extract of Glycyrrhiza glabra is mixed with to that of the extract of Picrorhiza kurroa in the ratio of is 1.25:2.
- 3-4 (Canceled)
5. (New) The composition of claim 1 further consisting of an excipient.
6. (New) A method for treating a human patient suffering from liver disease comprising administering to said patient an effective amount of a synergistic composition consisting essentially of extract of Glycyrrhiza glabra and extract of Picrorhiza kurroa in a ratio of from 2-1:1-3 by weight.
7. (New) A method for treating a human patient suffering from ailments associated with liver disease comprising administering to said patient an effective amount of a synergistic composition consisting essentially of extract of Glycyrrhiza glabra and extract of Picrorhiza kurroa in a ratio of from 2-1:1-3 by weight.
8. (New) The method of claim 6 wherein the ratio of the extract of Glycyrrhiza glabra to that of the extract of Picrorhiza kurroa is 1.25:2.
9. (New) The method of claim 7 wherein the ratio of the extract of Glycyrrhiza glabra to that of the extract of Picrorhiza kurroa is 1.25:2.

10. (New) The method of claim 6 wherein said synergistic composition further comprises an excipient.

11. (New) The method of claim 7 wherein said synergistic composition further comprises an excipient.